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Applicant(s): Michael R. Boyd et al.				
Invention: MULTI-FORMAT MEDIA DECODER AND METHOD OF USING SAME AS AN INTERFACE WITH A DIGITAL NETWORK				
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Application No.: 09/982,617

Confirmation No.: 8210

Filed: August 18, 2001

Art Unit: 2617

For: Multi-format media decoder and method of using
same as an interface with a digital network

Examiner: Sheleheda, J. R.

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

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Dear Sir:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

In response to the Office Action dated March 16, 2006, please amend the above-identified U.S. patent application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 8 of this paper.